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Hq 2d Bn 366th Inf
Ft. Devens, Massachusetts
March 13, 1943.

My dear Mrs. Atkinson,

Enclosed herewith is Preliminary Directory of "Howard Men & Women in the War". Have read the directory very hastily, making a few on-the-spot corrections or notations. Have also enclosed an alphabetical roster of the officers of the 366th infantry. Perhaps you can recognize those who formerly were students at Howard.

Suggest that you add the name of a military man to your committee. What about Major Contee? He certainly could aid the committee a great deal in interpreting the abbreviations that military men will undoubtedly use despite your request that they refrain from their use. I think the questionnaire very lousy - that is, the one I filled in the other day. The correct military terms weren't used thereon: "official number" should have read "Army Serial Number", etc. A military man on the committee would have spotted that at the beginning and caused a revision before the form was dropped in the mails.

Would suggest that you contact the Personnel Officer for names of Enlisted Men, former students at Howard, who are now serving with the 366th Infantry. He is Capt. WILLIAM A. PIERCE, a Howard grad.

Will drop by if and when I get some more leave. Give my regards to Mr. Wilkinson and the staff.

Sincerely yours,

John H. Euell, Jr.
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Class '39

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